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SUBJECT: ARMY ANNOUNCEMENT OF RIF AND MOVE

SUMMARY: THE PRESS REACTION TO THE ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE ARMY
OF A FURTHER RIF AND A MOVE OF THE HDQTRS ON ISLAND WAS ONLY
OF MODERATE SCALE. END SUMMARY

1. THE OKINAWAN PRESS MAY 27 GAVE FULL BUT NOT SENSATIONAL
TREATMENT TO THE ARMY ANNOUNCEMENT OF ANOTHER 500 MAN RIF.

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BOTH PAPERS SHOWED PHOTOS OF GENERAL DAVID CALLING ON THE
GOVERNOR, NOTED THE MOVE OF THE HDQTRS TO THE MACHINATO AREA,
AND SPECULATED THAT STILL HEAVIER RIF'S WOULD FOLLOW. THE
THE GOVERNOR IS QUOTED AS HAVING ASKED THE GENERAL TO RETRACT
THE RIF DECISION AND AS COMMENTING THAT THE POSSIBLE MARINE
MOVE OUT OF CAMP HAGUE WAS OF LITTLE SUBSTANCE. ZENGUNRO AS
USUAL ANNOUNCED THAT IT WOULD UNDERTAKE A CAMPAIGN TO FORCE
RETRACTION OF THE RIF. THE OKINAWA TIMES ALSO NOTED THAT THE
ARMY MOVE APPEARED TO BE PART OF A GENERAL "MARINE CORPSIZATION"
OF THE BASES ON OKINAWA.

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2. COMMENT: THIS INITIAL REACTION OF THE PRESS AND LEFTISTS

APPEARS ONLY OF NORMAL SCOPE.

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